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Finding our present quarters entirely too small for our business, we will move to the room recently used by the Bowling Alley, Court House Square, on and after Tuesday, May 1st. It is our aim to have the most complete Shoe Store in the City. We have added greatly to our present line, and feel justified in saying that any and all who will inspect our different lines will bear us out in our assertions.

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STAGE STORIES.

Amusement Announcements, Lobby Chatter—Odd Bits of Gossip.

The gold statue of Maude Adams was shipped Wednesday to the Paris Exposition.

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Twelve cut of fifteen members of an Italian opera company died of yellow fever at Rio Janeiro, this week. The three survivors sailed for Genoa.

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The Lexington Elks will give a minstrel show at Lexington to-night. The performance will be under the direction of A. C. Gutzeit.

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Mrs. A. Smith has filed a divorce petition at Clinton, Ia., on the novel ground that before her husband kissed her he smeared his lips with a subtle and deadly poison. She alleges that she became very ill from the kiss and was saved only after much suffering. She claims that the kiss was one of peace, a signal by which they were to make up after their quarrel.

Knights Templar Conclave

THE State Conclave of Knights Templar of Kentucky is being royally entertained this week at Cynthiana. The program has included parades, receptions, luncheons during the day, and euchres and dances at night. Eminent Commander J. D. Feeney, Sir Knights Dan Peed, Hugh Montgomery, F. P. Webb, Everett Sorrell, J. H. Ewalt and J. H. Ludden, of this city, have been in attendance.

At the business session held yesterday morning the following Grand Officers were elected and installed:

J. G. Orndorff, Russellville, Right Eminent Grand Commander.

H. T. Jefferson, Louisville, Deputy Grand Commander.

F. H. Johnson, Louisville, Eminent Grand Generalissimo.

G. A. Lewis, Frankfort, Captain General.

T. J. Smith, Bowling Green, Grand Senior Warden.

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J. H. Ewalt, Paris, Eminent Grand Sentinel.

MATTERS MATRIMONIAL.

The Wedding Bells, Announcements, Cupid's Mischief.

Rev. W. E. Mitchell, pastor of the Owenton Baptist Church, and Miss Mae Forsee, are to be married June 5th.

THE FARM AND TURF.

News For the Farmer, Trader and Stock Raiser,

Cut worms are yet very troublesome in Mason county and many farmers have to replant their corn on account of the ravages of the pests.

Boyle county stockmen are preparing to vaccinate their cattle against black leg, which is prevalent in some sections. The government furnishes the virus free on application.—*Advocate.*

Forsythe & Curry, of Harrodsburg, have bought a number of crops of growing wheat, estimated to make 15,000 bushels, at 60c. per bushel.

Tke Winchester *Sun* says: Marquis Bean last Saturday sold a two-year-old steer that weighed 2,237 lbs. The wool clip from one Cotswold ram belonging to Hon. Abram Renick weighed 24 pounds.

Frank Arnold, of Bourbon, bought four high grade red bulls Monday at Carlisle court, at $31 to $50.

Kentucky Chautauqua.

The fourteenth annual session of the Kentucky Chautauqua will be held at Woodland Park, Lexington, Ky., June 26 to July 9. A splendid program has been arranged that will surpass any yet given. Some of the most notable lecturers and entertainers in America have been engaged. A great musical program will be presented, with many new and special features. The detailed program will be mailed to any address upon application to Charles Scott, Business Manager, Lexington, Ky. td

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Confederate Reunion Notes.

A corious feature of the Confederate reunion will be the attendance of a number of Indians who served in the Confederate army, and who have been organized into Camp "Lou-noo-kee," a part of the Fourth Brigade of the North Carolina Division. The Indians are Cherokees, and live on the reservation in North Carolina.

The First Kentucky has accepted the invitation to take part in the sham battle to be held on Thursday of the reunion week. The arrangements for the regiment are in the hands of Col. Morris B. Gifford. Military companies from New Albany, Madison and Bloomington will take part.

The big war gun "Jeff Davis" will be placed on corner of Fifth and Jefferson. The gun is now at Fort Pillow.

All Confederate soldiers not able to board themselves, will be furnished everything free at the Louisville reunion, May 30, 31, June 1, 2, 3.

Gen. John B. Gordon, of Georgia, Commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans Association, believes that the Confederate Reunion held in Louisville in May will be by far the largest and most successful ever held. "The central location of the city," says the General, "will bring thousands of Confederates to the gathering who have heretofore not attended the annual meetings. From what I understand, no other city has ever made the preparations that Louisville is making to welcome the vetearns. I am satisfied that not less than 25,000 will be here, then with 25,000 more visitors, including families, kinsmen and friends of the veterans, I think it safe to say that Louisville can expect to entertain 50,000 visitors."

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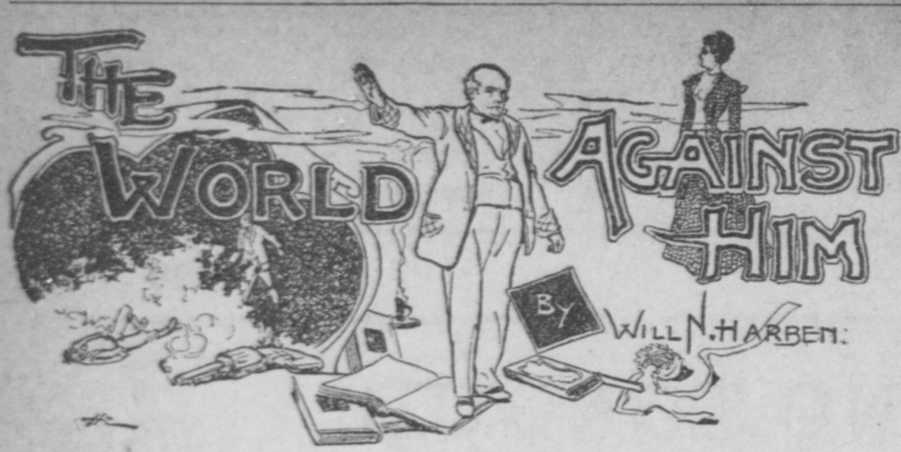

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CHAPTER I.

Old Jason Fanshaw sat at an open window, his fat legs on the sill. As he talked, his hearers in the big bare room drowsed, nodded or stared at him with lack-luster eyes. He usually held forth on Sundays when the law and the Lord prohibited work and there was nowhere to go.

On this sultry afternoon his theme was his own misfortune in being burdened with a family that contributed naught to his desires. He had never, in exact words, voiced their shortcomings, but in his secret soul he would have had them perhaps less like himself, certainly less like his wife, who weighed 200 if she weighed a pound.

The two girls, Mary Lou, aged 18, and Ann Josephine, 20, threatened, as their bedslats continued to break, to surpass their mother in the flesh they were heir to, and in addition to this impediment to activity and encourager of sloth, they had come honestly by a combination of their father's tow-colored and their mother's red hair, which little suited their florid complexions. They had, also, freckles as big as pockmarks, which a diligent application of "stump water" had failed to dim.

Fanshaw had two sons. Ronald, the eldest child, was not in the room. David, a lusty fellow built on his father's plan, but with a more cheerful face, was lying on the high-posted bed in the corner of the room. He always hurled into his father's tirades against his family comments in favor of his brother, whom he admired intensely.

"You cayn't complain of Ron," he said this afternoon, as he fanned the flies from his face with his big straw hat lined with blue calico. "He looks after his own business. Mr. Hague said Saturday before last that he'd ruther have Ron rent land from 'im than any man in the country. He 'lowed Ron paid every dollar he contracted to pay an' that the niggers liked 'im so much that they'd work twice as hard for 'im as they would for anybody else."

"That don't do me no good," snarled Fanshaw.

"No, I reckon not," admitted Dave, "but you won't ever be ashamed of 'im, if you are of the rest of us. He's been readin' and studyin' every spare minute sence he was knee high to a grasshopper. For the last six months Mr. Redding, the best lawyer in Danube, has been providin' 'im with books, an' my idea is that he is goin' to make a lawyer out'n hisse'f. You cayn't hold 'im down; he'll rise like a cork; an' as fur good looks, geewhilikins! Did I ever tell you-uns what happened at campmeetin'? I was a settin' under the bush arbor about four benches from the front last Sunday was a week when Ron come in dyked out in his best Sunday clothes. You ort to a-seed how the folks turned their heads. A young dude behind me axed a man next to 'im who in the thunder that was, an' the fellow said he wasn't certain, but he 'lowed it was some chap visitin' at Col. Hasbrooke's from Boston or New York. Then it was my put in. I bent over an' informed 'em that it was Ronald Fanshaw, the oldest son of Jason Fanshaw. An' you ort to a-heerd 'em giggle. Then the man that had axed the question come back at me fairly slobberin' in the mouth to keep frum laughin' out loud.

"'You're away off, my friend,' sez he; 'you shorely ain't acquainted 'bout heer. Old Fanshaw is the daddy of the sorriest lay-out on the face of creation. I hain't never been to his sideshow myself, but I know a heap o' folks that has paid the'r way an' never axed fur the money back, nuther.'

"Then I jest punched my face over to his yeer an' said, I did: 'I ort to know 'im,' I says, tetchin' the butt o' my pistol. 'He's my brother, an' when meetin' is over me'n you'll go into the sideshow fur a minute; the tent's stretched right out thar in the bushes an' the latest addition to it is a Buffalo Bill dead shot.'

"He wilted an' got as white as the inside of a cucumber, an' then the preacher axed everybody to kneel down and pray. I was axin' the Lord to bless my purpose when them two riz an' poled it out over the straw. I half way got up, but the preacher broke off in his prayer an' begun to talk about the law agin disturbin' public worship, an' I sunk down on my knees an' seed them two mount an' gallop off like the woods was afire."

"You ort to a-mashed 'is teeth down his throat," said Mrs. Fanshaw. "Folks has poked too much fun at us to suit me. In war times you wouldn't a-stood it, Jade." She called her husband Jade, not because he was tired or was a horse, but because it was the only abbreviation of the name she knew.

An expression of hot fury lay on Fanshaw's wrinkled face as he looked out into the yard where half a hundred ducks, turkeys, guinea-hens and peacocks were feasting on the remains of the watermelon the family had just eaten. "My Lord," he grunted, "ef I took folks to taw ever' time they joked about you-uns, I'd have my hands full."

"Well, they'd better not let me heer 'em throwin' off on us," declared Dave, and he stood up and stretched himself. "But when you come to think of it, Ron is so different from the rest of us that it's no wonder folks take 'im for one o' that highfalutin' crowd. I tell you, he's no slouch!"

Dave went out into the back porch, where a stream of water shot from the end of a hollow log into a trough; the water came from a spring on a hillside half a mile distant. The inventor of this crude aqueduct was Ronald Fanshaw; he was only a boy when he conceived the idea, but he gave every spare moment to its construction. He had felled the trees, dug the long ditch through the meadows and fields, taken the level and completed what was still considered a marvel of convenience by the neighbors. While it was building, Jason Fanshaw had contributed many peevish objections to the work, which he considered a waste of time, but when the clear, cold water gushed out at his door, he melted under a blaze of wonder, and now no stranger ever came to his house who was not shown "the waterworks."

"Huh," he would exclaim with pride, "nobody else has got a spring on his land high enough fur such a thing. Col. Hasbrooke would pay no end o' money ef he could have it. He has to keep two niggers busy fillin' his tank an' then the water's stale an' hot. You see, we sunk our pipes so deep that the water's as cold as ice."

A hundred yards from the house was a dense wood which stretched on to a small river a mile away, and further on to a high mountain, and here Dave found his brother lying on the grass reading his Blackstone. In his unlikeness to his family he was an anomaly; he was over six feet in height, well built, slender, dark of complexion, hair and eyes. There was in the shapely prominence of his brow a suggestion of strong mentality one might look for in vain in any of the other Fanshaws; his limbs had the slight, strong look of a blooded horse; a palmist would have said that his hands indicated the possession of a refined, sensitive spirit.

"Oh, I had no idea you was heer!" exclaimed Dave. "I jest thought I'd take a walk to git away from all that clatter up at the house. An' to tell you the truth, I've got a quart hid in that stump thar; don't you want to wet yore whistle, as the feller said? I have to keep it hid from the old man; he's too all-fired stingy to buy whisky, but he loves it like a hog does slop."

"You know I never drink," replied the other, firmly. His words formed a striking contrast to the dialect of his brother; there was a vague sadness of tone in his voice, and his eyes drooped as if they were weary of the print upon which they had been resting.

"Well, I reckon you won't mind ef I take a pull at it," said Dave. "I'm dry as a powder-horn." He removed a flat stone from the hollow of the stump and took out his flask. "Here's lookin' at you," and the neck of the bottle went into his mouth.

"I suppose they made me the subject of their talk, as usual," said Ronald, when Dave had replaced the flask under the stone and sat on the stump, his legs crossed.

"Not any more'n common, Ron; they've got to talk; talkin' comes as natural to women as cluckin' does to hens; the only difference is hens cluck when they are busy, an' cackle when they've laid; the time to git away from a woman's tongue is when she's idle, an' that's all the time. But, honest, I don't see why they won't let you alone. You want to read an' study, because it suits you, an' I am with you, tooth an' toe nail. Now, I had my head set on ranch life out west, because I liter'ly love hoss flesh an' cattle-raisin', but they all come down on me like a landslide an' I's had to hoe corn an' cotton like a nigger fur about forty cents a day, when I might a been makin' two dollars an' a-had my independence."

Ronald Fanshaw smiled genially, but he made no reply, and Dave sauntered away to the river to see if his trout lines had caught anything. When he found himself alone our hero fell to dreaming of his past life. Above the tree-tops half a mile to the east, on a slight elevation, he could see the high, steep roof and dormer windows of the chief mansion of the locality, "Carnleigh," the splendid home of the county's greatest planter, Col. Henry Hasbrooke.

The house, in its silent grandeur, representing wealth and power, had been a potent factor in the struggles of this young man towards the acquisition of things above and beyond him in the dreamy blue realm of possibility. Its massive Corinthian columns, its vast white proportions and its aristocratic inmates, whom he saw driving along the roads, told him constantly what he and his family were not. Up to his twenty-fifth year his fancy had dared to play only about the exterior of this old family seat, but of late his imagination—call it ambition, if you will, had led him beyond the mystic portals, and he walked there with men and ladies; he dined there; he discussed topics he had read with the white-haired host; he stood near the piano and heard Evelyn Hasbrooke play and sing; he saw her white hands flit over the keys, and felt her smile up at him. And then the bubble would burst and the grim, sordid contrast of his real existence would grasp and wring the gall from his soul.

Evelyn Hasbrooke was unwittingly responsible for these later dreams. He had rendered her a service the preceding summer when she was home from school. To him the act was nothing, but when it was over she had hung white and quivering on his arm, and in that wonderful cadence of hers had told him that he had saved her life. He had helped her over the fence and felt the warmth of her breath on his face. They had stood and chatted for awhile and then they had parted. He had not seen her since, for she was at school in Boston, but he had never forgotten the glory of her deep, gray eyes, the infinite sweetness and beauty of her face. A thousand times since that moment he had wondered if she, too, remembered. Sometimes when his hopes were brightest he fancied that she did—that she must if only because his mind was on her so constantly.

CHAPTER II.

About a week after this he heard that she was home again to remain, her school days being over. His informant also told him that Carnleigh was to have visitors—Mr. James Hardy, a cotton merchant of Charleston, who was supposed to be a suitor for the hand of the colonel's eldest daughter, Caroline, and Capt. Charles Winkle, who owned a fine plantation five miles beyond the mountain and was believed to be an admirer of the young debutante.

Ronald was longing to see Evelyn again, but he met the two sisters and their escorts sooner than he desired. He had taken his books and fishing tackle to a shady nook on the river bank and was just getting settled when he heard merry laughter in the wood between the river and the road and a moment later the two couples emerged from the tangle of cane, vines and foliage. Instinctively Ronald drew his wide-brimmed straw hat down over his eyes, and Evelyn did not recognize him for a moment. He had resolved that he should never speak to her again unless she showed a disposition to renew their informal acquaintance, and he was averse to putting her to the test before the others. But Capt. Winkle knew by sight (he did not bother himself with their names) nearly all of what he jocularly termed "the white trash" of that section, and he usually addressed them without ceremony or courtesy. For a moment he paused watching Ronald's line, and then he asked:

"Are they biting, my man?"

Ronald felt the hot blood of anger rush to his face and his fingers tightened on his rod. It was on his tongue to retort sharply, but Evelyn's presence helped him control his temper. He made no reply. Capt. Winkle curled his mustache with his white fingers; he thought the fisherman had not heard his question.

"I see you have some bait, my good fellow," he said in a louder tone. "Will

"WELL, I RECKON YOU DON'T MIND."

you let me have some of your crickets? the boy has not come with ours," and the captain tossed a silver coin on the grass near Ronald. There was a pause. Ronald was conscious that Evelyn and Mr. Hardy had moved on and that Miss Caroline was waiting for Winkle. Then our hero picked up the piece of silver and tossed it into the stream, at the same moment he doffed his hat and lifted his basket of crickets.

"You are welcome to them," he said. "I should hate to see ladies lose their sport."

"Oh, no, Capt. Winkle!" objected Miss Caroline, "do not mind them; we are very much obliged, I hear the boy coming now."

As she turned away and the captain was following her he looked back and said with a sneer:

"I think, Miss Hasbrooke, that we'd better go further down the stream; he'll be diving for that money and will frighten all the fish."

Ronald's ear had never been so acute; he heard Caroline Hasbrooke's low, guarded voice above the rustling of the leaves against her stiff duck skirt. "You ought not to have noticed him," she said; "that's one of old man Fanshaw's sons; he has taken up the study of law, and it seems to have given him the big head."

"You don't tell me," laughed the captain, "haw, haw!"

Then the negro boy, carrying a basket of crickets, passed at the top of his speed. Ronald baited his hook and flung the line into the stream; his hands were quivering; he was almost beside himself with rage. The drone of voices told him that the fishing party had paused about forty yards away. The reflection of the sunlight on the face of the water was maddening. This, then, was his long dreamed of meeting with Evelyn; she would hear her sister's account of what had taken place after she had moved on. Half an hour passed; a fish nibbled at his bait, taking his line round in a circle, but he did not notice it. Suddenly there was a light step on the grass near him. It was Evelyn Hasbrooke and she came to him with hand outstretched.

"You must pardon me, Mr. Fanshaw," she faltered. "I did not recognize you under that big hat. I did not know it was you till sister mentioned it just now."

He stood up, dropping his hat on the ground.

"I really did not presume that you would care to—to renew our slight acquaintance," he stammered, red in the face.

A pained expression passed over her beautiful features.

"I can't remember anything I have done to make you think so ill of me, Mr. Fanshaw."

She seated herself on the root of a tree and opened the novel she held in her hands. He found himself unable to formulate a suitable reply and he drew in his line and put another cricket on his hook.

"I am afraid," she said, searching his face, "that Capt. Winkle offended you just now. I am sorry that a guest of our house should fail to treat anyone—you especially—with due courtesy, and I am glad you rebuked him as you did."

"You are very kind, Miss Hasbrooke."

"My sister is Miss Hasbrooke," she said, with a little laugh. "I am still little Evelyn, even if I have laid my school books away."

Again she had made an unanswerable remark, and silence fell between them. He broke it after a moment's pause.

"But you have grown; you are" (he wanted to say more beautiful) "different."

"I presume a year does change a girl, but you are just the same, Mr. Fanshaw—exactly the same."

[To Be Continued.]

A LITTLE ROMANCE.

Short Story of Tenement Life That Will Disappoint Sticklers for a Conventional Climax.

"Step! Step! Step!"

It was some one mounting the stairs. It was a slow and heavy step, and there was something grim and grewsome about it—something to tell the listener that the sole owner and proprietor of the step was a lop-shouldered son of a gun without enough mercy in his heart to grease a sunflower seed.

"'Tis he—the landlord!" gasped the woman, who sat in the gloom of her garret room with white face and palpitating heart.

The step came nearer—the frail door was kicked open, and Adamant Flintstone stood before her and said:

"Woman, I am here! If you cannot pay me my rent, out you go!"

"Oh, Mr. Flintstone, have you no heart?" wailed the unfortunate.

"Not a bit. Pay or go!"

"But think of your mother."

"I haven't any."

"Then your sisters."

"Never had one."

"Is it possible that because I owe you $120 rent you will drive me out on the street on a night like this?"

"I am in the landlord business for money," was his unfeeling reply.

"But you can't expect that Heaven will prosper a man that has neither pity nor mercy?"

"I can. I am making 14 per cent. on my investment. Will you pay, or shall I chuck you out of the window?"

"I—I will pay!" she sobbed, as the storm increased and the wind tried to shake the stuffing out of the old tenement.

And, pulling two $100 bills out of her pocket, she handed them out and received $80 in change, and Adamant Flintstone chuckled in his frozen heart as he turned away and left her trying to choke herself to death with a buttonhook.—Washington Post.

Cause of the Earth's Magnetism.

The mystery of the earth's magnetism is a problem that has baffled the wisest scientists of all times and countries. No even approximate explanation of this great force of nature has ever been offered until within the past few weeks it was announced that Dr. Henry A. Rowland professor of physics in the Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore, had devised a machine that would afford opportunities for experimenting into the causes of magnetic force. Prof. Rowland's theory is that a body moving rapily through the air will generate within itself a strong electrical current. If this idea can be proven, then the swift flight of the earth through space will explain its electrical influences. The machine which Prof. Rowland has invented to test his theories is a wheel, wound with fine wire, revolving about a shaft, inside a casing, which allows space for a layer of air about the wheel. The wheel represents the earth, and the layer of air the atmosphere. In the preliminary experiments it is already proven that the revolution of the wheel develops magnetism in the wire, more or less, according to the swiftness of the revolutions. An endless variety of delicate experiments will be made with this machine by Prof. Rowland and his assistants, with a view of securing the definite solution of the earth's secret of magnetic force.—Ledger Monthly.

Love's Greatest Sacrifice.

Mother—Are you sure you love him?

Daughter—Am I sure! Do you see this dress?

"Of course I do. What of it?"

"Will you kindly tell me if it bears the slightest resemblance to the present fashion?"

"Well, really, it—er—it—"

"It doesn't?"

"No."

"Well, I'm wearing it because he likes it."—Tit-Bits.

A Palpable Mistake.

Mr. Snipkins—Ah, Mrs. Highmind, I have been wonderfully struck by the strong resemblance you bear to your husband.

Mrs. Highmind—Young man, you are altogether wrong. I do not bear any resemblance whatever to my husband. My husband looks like me, that is all!—Chicago Times-Herald.

FIFTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

Summary of Leading Events.

Washington, May 10.—Senate—The case involving the seat of Mr. Clark, of Montana, was postponed until next Tuesday. A bill was passed to pay Mary A. Swift $12,000, one year's salary of her husband, John E. Swift, who died while serving as United States minister to Japan. The session was concluded with eulogies on the late Representative Samuel Bair, of Louisiana.

House—By the very narrow margin of two votes the house unseated Mr. Crawford, of North Carolina, a democrat, and seated in his place Mr. Pearson, of North Carolina. He is the third republican to be seated by the present house. The minority resolution declaring the sitting member entitled to the seat was defeated by one vote.

Washintgon, May 11.—Senate—The entire session was devoted to a discussion of the naval appropriation bill. It was decided to vote on the measure at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

House—All records were broken in passing private pension bills. There were exactly 180 passed. The principal one among them was the senate bill to pension the widow of the late Gen. Guy V. Henry at the rate of $100 per month.

Washington, May 12.—Senate—The session was entirely devoted to a consideration of the naval appropriation bill, the main feature being a defeat of the proposition to erect a government plant for the production of armor.

House—The session was brief and of no particular interest. A few bills of minor importance were passed.

Washington, May 14.—Senate—The naval appropriation bill was passed. It provides $4,000,000 for a government armor plant in case armor can not be purchased for $445 per ton. Other bills passed were the "free home" bill; to survey Cleveland harbor, with a view to its further improvement; for the improvement of Snake river in Washington and Idaho; providing for a collector of customs for Hawaii.

House—The general deficiency bill was passed. It carries $3,839,021. The debate was devoted principally to political topics. The military academy bill is the last of the supply bills yet to be acted on by the house.

Washington, May 15.—Senate—Just as the routine business was concluded Mr. Clark, of Montana, arose and in a long speech announced that he had sent his resignation to the governor of Montana. The resolution relating to Mr. Clark went over, and the senate proceeded to the transaction of routine business. Little business of importance was transacted.

House—The military academy appropriation bill was passed and sent to the senate. This is the last of the general appropriation measures, and the house will be ready to adjourn as soon as the senate disposes of those it has not passed and the two houses adjust the differences in conference.

Washington, May 16.—Senate—Nearly 100 bills were passed, 77 of them being private pension bills, among them being one granting $100 a month to the widow of Gen. Lawton. All the other bills were of a local nature.

House—But little was accomplished besides passing the senate bill to incorporate the American National Red Cross. No progress was made with the Alaskan code bill. The conference report on the District of Columbia appropriation bill was returned after extended debate.

BOER REPRESENTATIVES.

It is Probable the Envoys Will Visit a Majority of the Cities in the United States.

New York, May 17.—Beyond a drive through Central park and the principal localities of interest in the city, no programme was arranged for the Boer envoys Wednesday. They spent the forenoon in answering telegrams and letters from more than sixty cities in the United States from which invitations had been received.

An effort is being made to arrange a plan so that the envoys can visit a majority of the cities. Probably they will leave for Washington on Friday. C. H. Wessels, one of the envoys, discredited the cable dispatches to the effect that President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, is said to have lashed the Free Staters to make them fight. He said the Free Staters were all working together and in perfect harmony. Mr. Wessels was also asked concerning the English advances and successes reported in recent cables. He said: "Everything is going according to the plan of action prepared some time ago. Every time we fall back it is given out as a British success, but it is all a preconsidered plan and does not hurt us in any way. The final crisis has not yet come. What I consider the crucial test will be at the Vaal river, near Pretoria. I do not think that the stories published about the British successes are neutral news, but highly optimistic from a British standpoint."

Negro Lynched By White Men.

Meridian, Miss., May 17.—Parties arriving here bring the news of the lynching of a Negro, Sam Hinson, by a mob of white men near Cushtusha. Hinson was employed on the farm of Mrs. Eliza Adams, and attempted to murder her. He was prevented by the arrival of neighbors who heard Mrs. Adams' screams. The Negro fled, but was captured and lynched.

No Additional Gold Duty.

Rio De Janeiro, May 16.—It is officially announced that the government will not ask congress to impose an additional gold duty on imports. It is possible, however, that the gold duty may be raised and a corresponding reduction made in paper duties.

Ex-Queen Lil Leaves for Hawaii.

Washington, May 16.—Liliuokalani, ex-queen of Hawaii, and her retinue, left Washington Tuesday for Honolulu. Her health is much enfeebled and it is not likely that she will return to this country.

Proposed Alliance with England.

If the United States and England should form an alliance, the combined strength would be so great that there would be little chance for enemies to overcome us. In a like manner, when men and women keep up their bodily strength with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, there is little chance of attacks from disease. The old time remedy enriches the blood, builds up the muscles, steadies the nerves and increases the appetite. Try it.

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One lady said: "I wish I could have seen your feat."

Whereupon he blushed and stammered, and finally pointing to his pedal extremities, said: "Well, here they be, mum."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

SEE TO THE WALLS.

A Danger in Schoolrooms and How to Prevent It.

Owing to the gathering of so many different classes of persons therein, the interior walls of churches, schoolhouses, hospitals, etc., are apt to become repositories of disease germs unless preventive measures are taken. These walls should always be coated with a clean and pure cement, such as Alabastine, which is disinfectant in its nature and more convenient to renew and retint than any other wall coating. The first cost is no greater than for inferior work, while renewals are more easily and cheaply made.

Unwelcome Friendship.

"I want to say to you," roared the red-faced passenger, "that I am a friend to the Boers, all the time."

"Well," said the slim passenger, who was in a corner of the car, where he couldn't escape, "I hadn't thought much about it, but if you are with them I am sorry for them myself."—Indianapolis Press.

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PROBABLY DEFEATED.

Pretoria Advices Say British Sustained Heavy Loss at Mafeking.

Lord Roberts, With His Infantry, Is Still at Kroonstad, With His Cavalry Stretched Out for Many Miles.

London, May 17.—The British relief column fought the Boers at Krrai Pan, 32 miles south of Mafeking, on Tuesday, according to a telegram received Wednesday night at Lorenzo Marques from Molopo, 100 miles north of Mafeking. This intelligence is accepted here with some reserve, because it is difficult to understand how the news could have been so quickly put on the wire from a place 132 miles from the scene of the engagement.

A correspondent of the Morning Post, presumably John Stuart, is reported captured by the Boers at Kraai Pan.

The British public is keenly expectant of the announcement that Mafeking has been relieved. In army circles the opinion seems to prevail that this has already been accomplished, although the war office asserted that news of the relief had not been received. The steadfast courage of the hunger-bitten garrison has produced a deep impression, and the news of succor is awaited with more anxiety than had been felt regarding any other event of the war.

Douglas Story, the Daily Mail's correspondent at Pretoria, wires: "The Boer government is holding back some big news. Feverish activity prevails here. President Kruger is working day and night. The latest Boer official bulletin is that the relief column has been defeated with great loss."

Lord Roberts continues passive at Kroonstad. His cavalry are stretching like a semi-circular screen many miles in length, without lapping flanks.

The Kroonstad censor permits the passage of long dispatches dealing with incidents prior to the occupation. It seems that Gen. French's cavalry had one lively fight after crossing the Zand river. A mixed squadron, composed of the Scots Grays, the Inniskillings, Carbineers and Australian horse, took a kopje and dismounted. The Boers suddenly fired from a concealed position, killing many horses and stampeding the rest. The Boers then advanced in overwhelming numbers and drove the squadron, capturing some. The Boers robbed the dead and looted the saddles. A small brigade of cavalry drove them off.

Farther north the Hussars charged the Boers, killing and wounding many stragglers with sabers and pistols.

Gen. Buller is moving toward Newcastle. He appears to be using 25,000 men against 5,000 or 6,000. His operations will almost certainly result in his forcing his way into the Transvaal possibly in time to co-operate with Lord Roberts' advance, although Gen. Buller is now 252 miles from Johannesburg, or 25 days' march.

Gen. Rundle is sweeping through the northeast of the Free State. The Boers are dissolving before him and some are surrendering. Their main force is assembled between Ficksburg and Winburg, but it is without close organization.

The war story from every part of the field is therefore seemingly a narrative of British successes; but, with the Boers preparing for a last desperate fling farther in the interior and with Boer guerrilla parties looting houses and stores in the northwest section of Cape Colony, it is not all roses for the British.

London, May 17.—The most important development in Wednesday's war news is the statement cabled from Cape Town announcing that the Boer delegates had advised the Transvaalers to surrender if defeated at the Vaal. This remarkable announcement is vouched for on good authority, and evidently obtains more credence in Cape Town than would a mere rumor.

The occupation of Glencoe was merely a logical sequel of Gen. Buller's advance and the Boers' retiring movement. As usual the Boers are reported to be flying precipitately, but, also, as usual, the accounts add that their transport and guns were removed in safety, which in itself is a contradiction of any statement that the Boers were panic-stricken.

TWO BOATS CAPSIZED.

Between Thirty and Forty Persons Were Drowned While Returning From a Chapel.

Rome, May 17.—A terrible accident, resulting in the death of from 30 to 40 persons, took place at Ronciglione, on the lake of Vico, during a celebration of the fete of St. Lucie, whose chapel is on the shore of the lake.

Two boats filled with young people capsized while returning from the chapel within 300 yards of the landing stage. Only thirteen persons were saved.

Grand Stand Burned.

New York, May 16.—The grand stand, the famous glass betting ring and all the buildings of the race track at Clifton, N. J., were entirely destroyed by fire Monday night. The total loss is $100,000. The fire was the work of incendiaries.

The Commissioners Arrive.

New York, May 15.—The steamer Maasdam, from Rotterdam, with the Boer commissioners, C. H. Wessels, Abraham Fisher and A. D. W. Wolmarans, aboard, was sighted Tuesday morning.

STRIKE IS STILL ON.

An Agreement Made By the Strikers' Executive Committee Rejected By the Men.

St. Louis, May 17.—The eyes of the public and strikers alike were focused on the congress called to effect a settlement of the differences existing between the St. Louis Transit Co. and the grievance committee of its small army of strikers. The conference was in session from early in the afternoon until 9:15 o'clock at night, and at its conclusion members of the grievance committee announced that an agreement had been reached with the railway officials, but that they were not in a position to announce its terms till the compact had been ratified by the executive committee of the striking employes.

The executive committee was in session at Walhalla hall, awaiting developments in the conference, and the grievance committee at once hurried thither, and both committees went into secret session. After a two hours' session the executive committee of the strikers rejected the agreement arrived at between the Transit Co. and the strikers' grievance committee. The strike is still on.

R. M. Barker, a striking conductor, was shot in the thigh during an attack on a Citizen's line car on Easton avenue. The wound is not dangerous.

COFFEE TRADE TIED UP.

No More Vessels From Rio de Janeiro Will Be Permitted to Land at New Orleans.

New Orleans, May 17.—The state board of health passed resolutions declaring that the coffee ship Corsica, with cargo from Rio de Janeiro, would not be allowed to land until 30 days' fumigation and detention, and, in case no symptoms of bubonic plague developed at the end of that time. The Corsica sailed from Rio on April 15, at which time there were several cases of plague there.

As a result of the action of the board, S. V. Fornis & Co., the local agents for the French line of vessels to which the Corsica belongs, cabled to Paris canceling all sailing of coffee steamers via Brazil to this port for the rest of the year. The result of this action is the total annihilation of the coffee business in so far as New Orleans is concerned.

A large number of local coffee importers petitioned the board of health at its meeting to allow the Corsica to land, on the ground that the steamer Coleridge had been permitted to land in New York this week, although sailing from Rio two days later than the Corsica. The local board, instead of receiving this petition favorably, denounced the action of the New York board as being extremely reprehensible.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Proposed One Dealing With Trusts and Combinations Reported to the House.

Washington, May 17.—The constitional amendment as agreed to and reported to the house proposes the following as Article 16 of the constitution:

"Section 1. All powers conferred by this article shall extend to the several states, the territories, the District of Columbia and all territory under the sovereignty and subject to the jurisdiction of the United States.

"Sec. 2. Congress shall have power to define, regulate, control, prohibit or dissolve trusts, monopolies or combinations, whether existing in the form of corporations or otherwise. The several states may continue to exercise such power in any manner not in conflict with the laws of the United States.

"Sec. 3. Congress shall have power to enforce the provisions of this article by appropriate legislation."

Lukens Gets Twenty Years.

Cincinnati, May 17.—Albert Lukens pleaded guilty to manslaughter Wednesday before Judge Hollister, and was sentenced to the state reformatory for 20 years for the murder of Mrs. Julia Stiegler, at Hyde Park. Young Lukens was tried twice for the crime, the juries each time disagreeing. The battle for his life comprised one of the most famous cases in the history of Hamilton county litigation.

Gen. Schwan in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 17.—Brig. Gen. Theo. Schwan, who has been Gen. Otis' chief of staff in the Philippines for nearly a year, has arrived here from Manila in the transport Thomas. He will remain in San Francisco for a short time awaiting orders from Washington assigning him to duty elsewhere.

Soldiers' Widows' Home Burned.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 17.—Fire destroyed the Grand Army home for soldiers' widows at Hawkins Station, on the Pennsylvania railroad, near here. The 40 inmates, ranging in age from 50 to 95 years, escaped without injury. One old lady, Mrs. Tence, aged 95 years, may die from the shock. Loss, $20,000. Cause of fire unknown.

Bank Officials Indicted.

Windsor, Vt., May 17.—The federal grand jury reported indictments against former Cashier Chas. W. Mussey and M. A. McClure, of Rutland, in connection with the recent troubles of the Merchants' National bank, of that city.

Furniture Manufacturers Meet.

Chicago, May 17.—Seventy furniture manufacturers from all over the union were present at the annual convention of the National Association of Chamber Suite and Casework Manufacturers of America.

THE CUBAN SCANDAL.

Havana's Postmaster and Three Other Persons Now in Jail.

Four Postal Inspectors Have Begun the Work of Investigation—Additional Facts Brought Out By Every Arrest Made.

Havana, May 15.—The extent of the postal frauds is far greater than what was originally expected. Besides taking in the postal department, the frauds seem to include the local officers at Havana and various other officers throughout the island, and also to have extended to outside points which have been used for the sale of some of the old issue of stamps that were ordered destroyed.

The result of the investigation at the local post office is the suspension of Postmaster Thompson, who was installed in April of last year. He will remain at his own house for the present. Moya and Mascaro, stamp sellers in the main office, have also been arrested, and further arrests are expected soon. As many as six others have been placed under the closest surveillance, and they will be arrested as soon as their services can be spared. As a matter of fact, if they were all to be subsequently relieved of duty, it would not be possible to carry on the postal department of Havana.

Washington, May 15.—The postmaster general, after a protracted interview with the president, announced that Joseph L. Bristow, fourth assistant postmaster general, will proceed to Havana next Wednesday to take charge of the postal affairs of the island of Cuba.

Havana, May 17.—Warrants were issued for the arrest of E. P. Thompson, the Havana postmaster; W. H. Reeves, deputy auditor of the island, and Edward Moya and Jorge Mascaro, Cuban clerks in the stamp department, and all were lodged in the Vivac, the Tombs of Havana. This was done under the advice of the postal inspectors. It is considered now that Reeves is equally guilty with Neely.

Investigation as to the record of the clerk in the military department who handled several hundred dollars' worth of stamps proves that the transaction, so far as he is concerned, was legitimate. The stamps were purchased at the request of his brother, who is a stamp collector in the United States, for $800. They were of the old issue and were obtained from Neely.

The arrest of Thompson caused great surprise in the city. It is looked upon as the precursor of many other arrests. Gen. Wood felt, as did the special inspectors, that it would be better to have the suspected persons arrested, and to give the men opportunity to obtain bail, than to keep them indefinitely under close surveillance at a time when the detectives are badly needed for other work.

As the affair stands now, Mr. Thompson's career in the postal service must necessarily cease, even if he escapes a term of imprisonment. Moreover, his action in giving orders to postal clerks to alter figures regading stamps at the request of Corrydon Rich, without notifying Mr. Rathbone, makes things look worse, even if he acted innocently in the belief that everything was correct.

Four postal inspectors arrived here and, after conferences with Gen. Wood and Mr. Rathbone, immediately began work. Mr. Rathbone declares there is not the slightest jealousy between the military authorities and the post department here and that Gen. Wood and himself are working in harmony.

Early developments connected with the frauds, it is asserted, tend to show the far-reaching influence of Neely, and every man who is placed under arrest brings to light additional facts. Each one seems willing to tell all he knows regarding Neely, while endeavoring to exonerate himself. The only person, however, who will be accepted by the authorities as a witness for the state is Corrydon Rich, who will not be placed in jail, but will be closely watched, as it is felt that his testimony is absolutely indispensable.

Renominated for Congress.

Peoria, Ill., May 16.—Congressman Joseph W. Graff was unanimously renominated by the republican congressional convention of the fourteenth district, held at Canton. The resolution adopted endorse President McKinley's administration.

Hot Weather in Chicago.

Chicago, May 16.—One death and four prostrations were caused by the heat Monday. The official maximum temperature for the day was 86. The thermometers on the street level were 3 or 4 degrees higher.

The Plague at Port Said.

Port Said, May 15.—So far there have been 20 cases of the bubonic plague here. Of this number 13 patients have died, four having recovered, and the rest are still under treatment. No further cases have been reported.

Queen's Proclamation.

London, May 16.—The Queen Tuesday issued a proclamation permitting trading between the South African colonies and the portions of the Orange Free State, now occupied by the British forces.

Hurrying Relief to Kumassi.

Prahsu, Gold Coast Colony, May 17.—Four hundred Hausas have mobilized here, with 50 members of the guard of the Ashanti gold mines. The rest of the force will advance to Kumassi. The Cape Coast relief column is hurrying up provisions. The Adansi tribesmen are in arms against the friendly Bekwais.

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From Maysville—7:45 a. m.; 3:15 p. m.

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ILDERIM (5302) by Valentin (5301) out of Chafon by Vieux-Pierre (894), etc.
VALENTIN (5301) by Vieux-Chaslin (713), he by Coco (712) out of Poule by Sandi.
COCO (712) by Mignon [715] out of Pauline by Vieux-Coco.
MIGNON [715] by Jean-le-Blanc [739].
COCO II [714] by Vieux-Chaslin [713], etc., out of La Grise by Vieux-Pierre [883]
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Political Topics.

The Seventh District Republican Convention met Tuesday at Lexington and elected Judge H. C. Howard, of this city, and R. P. Stoll, of Lexington, delegates to the National Republican Connention at Philadelphia. C.O. Reynolds was elected a member of the State Central Committee.

Gen. Joseph H. Lewis is being urged to become a Democratic candidate for Governor in the event the Supreme Court decision is of the sort to make another election this Fall necessary.

Judge John H. Westover will this week formally announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress, to succeed Col Al Berry.

The new primary law, which permits practically, the election of Senators by direct vote, was given a satisfactory test in Georgia.

I. O. O. F. Encampment.

The annual grand encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State, which met in Mt. Sterling Wednesday morning, after hearing committee reports and transacting other business, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. W. Groves, of Mt. Sterling Grand Patriarch; Charles Tucker, Newport, Grand High Priest; J. Barbour Russell, Maysville, Grand Senior Warden; W. M. Todd, Middlesborrow, Grand Junior Warden; R. G. Ellott, Lexington, Grand Scribe; George W. Morris, Louisville, Grand Treasurer. Mr. Morris has held the latter office for fifty consecutive years. The following are the appointed officers: C. P. Scott, Ghent, Grand Marshal; W. W. Storts, Louisville, Grand Sentinel; A. E. Burke, Versailes, Grand Guardian. The encampment then adjourned sine die to meet in Louisville the third Wednesday in May, 1901.

The visiting Odd Fellows were given a superb banquet Wednesday night at Masonic Temple. There were plates for 250.

The Encampment shows a larger increase in both members and finance than any year since it was instituted. Paris was represented by E. B. January, E. D. Paton, W. H. H. Johnson, G. W. Faulconer. Mr. January was nominated without opposition for the high position of Grand High Patriarch, but declined in favor of J. W. Groves, of Mt. Sterling.

Federal Veteran Honored.

Col. W. H. Knauss, of Columbus, O., who was a Colonel in the Federal army during the civil war, will be one of the happiest veterans at the big Confederate reunion in Louisville, May 30 to June 3. For years Col. Knauss has been decorating the graves of the Confederates buried at Columbus, and in appreciation of this act of brotherly love the Confederate Veterans Association of Kentucky will present him with a beautiful gold medal watch charm.

One side of the medal shows the Confederate and the Federal battle flags crossed, over which is the inscription "From Confederate Veterans Association of Kentucky." The other side shows two soldiers clasping hands—one wearing the blue and the other the gray—above which appears the inscription "To Col. W. H. Knauss, Columbus, O." The idea of presenting the medal was suggested by A. T. Forsyth, of this city, and the medal was designed by A. J. Winters & Co., of this city, who have the gift on exhibition.

Gen. Poyntz, Commander of the Kentucky Confederate Veterans, has selected Capt. James R. Rogers, of Bourbon, to make the presentation speech at Louisville.

Mr. Fred. Bauer, of Maysville, was in the city on a business trip. and spent several hours at THE NEWS office. It was his first visit to THE NEWS since he set up our cylinder press eighteen years ago. Mr. Bauer now owns a prosperous job office in Maysville.

A Painful Memory.

A lady who lives on Morgan street took her 5-year-old son to a photographer's to have his picture taken. She was anxious to secure a good like ness at this particular sitting because she wished to distribute the pictures among some friends who were then her guests.

The child's idea of the affair, however, did not apparently harmonize with that of his mother, for when the man with the camera began to adjust the lens and direct it toward little Edward that young person set up what was unquestionably a howl.

In vain did the mother call into use her utmost forensic abilities. Edward did not want his picture taken.

"Why, my child," she said soothingly, "the gentleman won't hurt you. Just smile and keep still a moment, and it will be all over before you know it."

"Yes, I know, mamma," whimpered the youth, with the tears running down his cheeks, "but that's what you told me at the dentist's."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

FIRST WIG IN HISTORY.

It Was Worn by the Daughter of Saul, King of Israel.

The first wig mentioned in history was made of a goat's skin and worn by the daughter of Saul, king of Israel. The first artistic wigs were made in the south of Italy for the Gapiniens, who lived in Apulia and were known for the luxuries of their toilet. These people were, they say, the first who painted their faces. This they did with the juice of strawberries.

The Persians wore wigs. Xenophon relates that little Cyrus, when he visited Astyages, his grandfather, whose eyes were framed in blue paint and who wore an enormous wig, threw himself on his knees and cried, "Oh, mother, what a beautiful grandfather I have!" Aglais, a maid of honor, was so struck by the appearance of the old gentleman that she remained with Astyages as a slave.

The Phœnician women, who were proud of their hair, having been ordered by their priests to offer it up on the altars dedicated to Venus after the death of Adonis, obeyed, but with murmuring. Soon after they were consoled by a Greek merchant, who told them that he would give them the means of hiding their bald pates under luxurious curls. In his chariot he had hundreds of wigs of all colors.

Wigs were in vogue in Rome toward the end of the republic and so well made that, says Ovid, "no man could know if his wife had any hair at all before she had given him an opportunity of seizing her by the tresses."

Teutonic peasants were the providers of blond hair for rich Roman princesses, who loved the contrast of its flaxen hue with their black eyes. They even had morning wigs, small and tightly curled, of any color, and they kept the beautiful fair ones to receive their admirers at night. Messalina had 150 wigs to disguise herself.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

THE SAMPLE FIEND.

It Takes Lots of Material to Supply the Sampler's Demands.

Coming suddenly upon a salesman in a retail store who had a number of yard long lengths of new piques liberally sprinkled with those little price tags (the pins all stuck through the several thicknesses and bent down), one understood all at once the full import of the demands of the sample fiend. Marked off evenly like a checkerboard, with 17 price tags lengthwise and seven to the width, which made 119 to the yard, the salesman was going over the lot with a pencil, setting down the width and price on each.

At one store the one who is at the head of each stock attends to the preparing of the samples of his particular stock. Thus the pique samples would be cut by one, samples of swiss by another, of organdie by another, and so on. In the silk department one man, who is kept for the purpose, does it all. And it takes all his time.

For people from a distance who do their buying by mail this is of course a very good method. But the part to which all sane people take exception is the senseless sampling of those who wander aimlessly about, evidently gathering samples as a thoughtless child sometimes pulls twigs in passing bushes. The worst of it is we have to pay for this senseless woman's foolishness, it being often observable that the biggest samplers are the smallest buyers. One clerk says that he has actually seen thrown upon the sidewalk the samples given to a woman after showing her his whole stock, her purchase being ostensibly postponed because of her fear that the goods will not match something or other.

The time is past when these scraps went to feed the insatiate crazy quilt fiends.—Philadelphia Record.

His Resentment.

A Memphis young lady who is very fond of her sister's little child, a boy of 2 or 3 years, who is visiting her now, was trying yesterday to get him to let her "fix him up" to have his photograph taken. She got her curling tongs and was trying to coax him to let her curl his hair. But with true boyish disgust at the idea of having his hair treated like a girl's he refused to submit to the process. She insisted, however, and offered him every kind of bribe, but in every instance he refused to allow her to do what she wished, and finally, becoming tired of her attempt to get him to submit, he sat down, crossed his legs and looked up at her very seriously and said:

"Auntie, I tell you what I'll do. I won't take a dollar to let you curl my hair, but I'll give you a dollar if you just go away and let my hair alone."—Memphis Scimitar.

Wounded In Battle.

An army loses far more of its strength through its wounded than through its killed. In the first place there are four or five wounded to one killed, and in the second place the dead men give no trouble, while the wounded require an immense number of noncombatants to attend to them. A great many of the wounded return again to duty, their wounds being comparatively slight, but as a rule more than half of them take no more part in the war.—London Answers.

The Poet's Choice.

"I don't care for your poem, 'The Song of the Lark,'" remarked the editor. The poet sighed wearily.

"To tell the truth," he replied, "I myself much prefer the lay of the hen."—Philadelphia Record.

Among birds the swan lives to be the oldest, in extreme cases reaching 300 years. The falcon has been known to live over 162 years.

The average duration of marriages in England is 28 years; in France and Germany, 26; Norway, 24; Russia, 30.

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GET J. T. Hinton's prices on carpets and wall papers before buying. 2t

THE State Convention of the Christian Church will meet at Carlisle on August 20th.

GRANT BYRD, formerly of this city, is filling a position as street car conductor in Lexington.

THE opening chapter of "The World Against Him," a fine serial story, is printed on page two.

FOR SALE.—High grade Cleveland bicycle. Will sell very cheap. Address box 372, Paris, Ky.

JAMES EARLEYWINE has moved to the Griffith hotel property on Main street, between Sixth and Seventh.

CONDUCTOR W. H. KIRDY, of the L. & N., has resumed his duties after a vacation trip in Tennessee.

WE have a few tired buggy wheels for sale at six dollars per set.
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FOR RENT.—Three rooms, and a garden already planted, on Walker avenue. Apply to Mrs. Laura Taylor. 3t

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ROSA FINCH, colored, had her upper lip nearly cut off in an argument with a friend in Ruckerville Wednesday night.

John Warner Reubelt, a State College cadet, has arrived home from the cadet encampment at Chickamauga National Park.

THE Masonic Lodge will meet to-night at the usual hour. There will be work in the third degree, and a full attendance is desired.

Judge H. C. Howard, Postmaster J. L. Bosley and James M. Burbridge are attending the State Republican Convention in Louisville.

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CONGRESSMAN GAYLE has called on the Postmaster General to secure an extension of the rural free delivery service in Owen and Bourbon counties.

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THE flood gates were opened at the A. Kellar distillery and a party of boys killed over a 100 pounds of fish. John Hayes captured a German carp that weighed eighteen pounds, says the Cynthiana *Democrat*.

PERSONS who want engraved cards or invitatons of any descripion are invited to call at THE BOURBON NEWS office and look at the very latest styles in these lines. Prices as low as Cincinnati, Louisville Philadelphia or New York houses. (tf)

W. H. DAVIS, of this city, yesterday received an appointment as Pullman Palace Car conductor, and leaves this morning for Cincinnati to report for duty. He will probably be assigned for extra runs for a few weeks until he is placed for a regular run. Mr. Davis has many friends in this city who will be glad to hear of his appointment.

City School Teachers.

The Board of Education met on Monday night at the office of the Central Trust Co. and elected the following teachers for the Paris High School for the scholastic year beginning September, 1900:

A. O. Reubelt, Superintendant; W. H. Lucas, Assistant; Miss Ida C. Darsie; Mrs. F. B. Sutherland, Miss Julia A. O'Brien, Mary Layton, Jennie Kenney, Annie Fugate, Nannie Bowden and Maggie Davis; and Mrs. O. H. Buck, Drawing Teacher. Miss Darsie, who was elected in place of Miss Marion Shackleford, is a sister of Eld. Lloyd Darsie.

A Postoffice Matter.

Hearing a street rumor to the effect that a shortage had been discovered in the Paris Postoffce, THE NEWS interviewed Postmaster Bosley on the subject Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Bosley informed THE NEWS that since he had been postmaster the office had been twice checked up by inspectors on their regular rounds and found to be in splendid condition. Mr. Bosley also told THE NEWS on February 24th there was an apparent shortage in the office of about $260 which was reduced by the collection of about $100 in box rents and newspaper postage, leaving a deficit of $160. Mr. Bosley promptly settled this with the inspecter, and does not owe the Department a cent.

Mr. Bosley told THE NEWS that he did not know just where this shortage or mistake occurred, but that he clearly exonerated all of the postoffice employes.

In March Mr. Bosley in a moment of haste sent in his resignation as postmaster, but he withdrew it a few days later, and has asked the Department for a searching investigation to exonerate himself and his office.

Multi-Millionaire's Visit.

Mr. M. D. Henderson, a multi-millionaire, of Topeka, Kansas, who is backing the St. Louis parties who came here to investigate the lead and zinc interests in and near Paris, came here Tuesday to make a personal investigation. He went over the ground with Dr. Wash Fithian, and then went by himself and dug up some of the ore. He was well pleased with the prospects for mining ore here in paying quantities.

S. M. Dickinson Assigns.

S. M. Dickinson proprietor of the Paris Cash Shoe Store, opposite the court house, assined Wednesday evening to J. F. Prather, for the benefit of his creditors. The schedule of liabilities has not yet been filed. Dull trade and heavy expenses are the cause of the failure.

To Close Out.

One lot of full trimmed hats reduced $1.00, at Mrs. Nannie Brown's. 2t

Minor Court Sentences.

Ike Duffy, colored, charged with wilfully endeavoring to spread smallpox, was tried before Acting County Judge J. W. Thomas, Jr., Wednesday and was fined $20.75.

James Hutchison was fined $35.25 for a breach of the peace.

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Court Meets To-day.

The Bourbon Fiscal Court will meet to-day to elect a County Judge to succeed the late Judge W. M. Purnell. The candidates before the Court are Justice Henry C. Smith and Judge Russell Mann.

Paralyzed By Fear.

Tuesday morning while George Craig, of Frankfort, was walking with a companion along the high trestle over Elkhorn near Georgetown, a Kentucky Midland train came up behind them. Craig seemed to be paralyzed by fear and was unable to move and was run over and killed by the train. His head was cut off and his body was horribly mangled. His companion stepped to one side on a beam and escaped injury. Craig was forty years old and was unmarried. The railroad people were not to blame.

Paris Horses Win.

Tuesday at Churchill Downs, Louisville, Taibott Bros., fast handicap horse, John Bright, by Sir Dixson-Brightlight, won a $400 handicap, running the mile and fifty yards in 1:42½ equaling the world's record for that distance. The last mile was run in 1:39 which beats the famous Ten Broeck's record against time. This performance stamps John Bright as the best handicap horse in America.

E.F. Simms' horse The Kentuckian won a mile race Monday at the Morris Park course, in the East, running the mile in the fast time of 1:39¾. The added money was $700.

A Protest Against Paris.

Prof. A. E. Reubelt, Superintendent of the Paris High School, has received a letter from the managers of the Blue Grass Graded School Tournament which meets next week in Winchester, protesting against pupils of the Paris schools participating in the Tournament. The reason given was on account of the smallpox scare in Paris.

No pupil of the Paris High School has had the smallpox, and the roster of the names including children from the best families in Paris.

The "scare" resulted because of some cases which developed in negro villages. The Paris High School had not contemplated sending any colored pupils to the Graded School Tournament.

Many pupils of the High School had prepared to attend the Tournamant and they feel the protest keenly though they do not care to go where they are not wanted. It will be remembered that the annual Graded School Tournament was inaugurated in this city.

THE MOVING THRONG.

Notes About Our Guests, Arrivals and Departures---Society's Doings.

—Mrs. W. L. Davis has been ill for several days.

—Mrs. Anne Lucas is visiting relatives in Cynthiana.

—Mrs. W. C. Ussery was in Cincinati yesterday for a short stay.

—Mrs. Kittie Brown is much improved from a severe illness.

—Mrs. Lucy Simms left yesterday for Cincinnati to spend a few days.

—Mrs. Rachael Ashbrook was in Lexington yesterday on a visit.

—Miss Bessie Redmon is in Carlisle vifiting her aunt, Mrs. E. Munson.

—Miss Lucy Simms arrived home yesterday from a visit in Clark county.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Davsi, of Nicholas, are visiting relatives in the city.

—Miss Ida Stoner is visiting her mother, Mrs. John S. Williams, near Mt. Sterling.

—Miss Kate Alexander visited her sister, Mrs. Hughes Bronston, in Lexington Wednesday.

—Mr. A. R. Ashurst, of Hutchinson, has returned home from an extended trip to New Orleans.

—Miss Mary Webb Gass left yesterday for a visit to friends in Nashville and Gallatin, Tenn.

—Mrs. John Bowen and son left yestesrday afternoon for a visit to relatives at Columbia, Tenn.

—Miss Nellie Holliday left yesterday for Pawtucket, R. I., after a visit to her old home in this city.

—Prof. C. L. Martin of Louisville, arrived last night for a visit ts his daughter, Mrs. Clarke Barnet.

—Mr. George D. Mitchell arrived home yesterday from a visit to friends in Lexington and Clark county.

—Mis Margaret Lyne returned to her home in Cynthiana Tuesday after a visit to Miss Eddie Spears.

—Mrs. D. W. Peed went to Cynthiana yesterday afternoon to attend the Knights Templar reception.

—Mrs. Victor Bloomfield and children, of Winchester, were guests of Mr. I. L. Price and family Wednesday.

—Mr. Harold Spencer and Miss Edith Spencer, of Newport, were guests of Mrs. Horace Collins Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Mrs. E. C. Moore, of Detroit, who has been a guest at Mrs. S. M. Wilmoth's for several weeks, left Tuesday for her home.

—Attorney T. E. Moore, Jr., was in Frankfort yesterday on legal business in the Paris bank tax cases now before the Court of Appeals.

—Mrs. Anne Winder, of Iowa, who has been visiting at Mr. J. W. Holliday's on Eighth street, left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Ohio.

—Hon. W. H. McMillan was in Frankfort yesterday on business connected with the bank tax cases which were taken before the Court of Appeals.

—State Senator W. M. Cox, W. B. Rudy, J. B. Russell, Wm. Brosee, G. H. Frank, Alton Schatxman, James Barbour and Jas. Childs, of Maysville, were in the city Tuesday en route to Mt Sterling to attend the Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F.

—Misses Mineva Parks Phelps, Laura Bennett and Mattie Tribble, of Richmond, will sail from New York to-morrow on the North German Lloyd liner "Werra" for a trip to Europe. They go via Gibraltar to Naples and will visit Italy, Switzerlaud, Germany, France and Englad, returning home in July.

—Misses Nannine Clay, Kate Alexander, Annie Louise Clay, Sue Clay, Dr. M. H. Daily, J. M. Brennan, Alex Farnsley (Louisville), and Clell Turney composed a lunch party which went up Stoner Tuesday evening on the "Kentucky." They spread a bountiful luncheon at the Gass Springs and came home by moonlight.

—One of the delightful features of the Confederate Re-union, in Louisville, May 30, June 1, will be the grand reception and ball to be given in honor of the veterans and sponsors in the Reunion Building now being erected. The floor will be arranged to accommodate 4,000 dancers, while the galleries will seat 6,000 spectators. The ball, which will probably occur June 1, will be one of the most brilliant affair, assembling as it will the handsomest women of the South. Twenty bands and orchestras will play while the guests trips the light fantastic.

—The Cynthiana *Times* says: Miss Mary Robinson received Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Mary Best Tarr, of Paris, and Miss Lucy Royce, of Sharpsburg. The house was beautifully decorated with palms and gorgeous cut flowers. Miss Reickle, Mr. Sam Hedges, Miss Robinson, Mr. Clarence Lair, Miss Royce, Mr. Webster Victor, Miss Tarr and Mr. Charles Robinson received the guests. The delicious punch was gracefully served by Miss Hattie Stevens, assisted by Mr. Wallace Ammerman. Misses Bair and Smith, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lair and Mr. Leek invited the guests out to the dining room, where the refreshment table was especially noticeable for its exquisite daintiness, and was lighted with candelabrum filled with wax tapers. Misses Florence Bair, Mary Lydick, and Stella Stevens did the honors there. About sixty guests enjoyed the pretty reception.

Change of Firm.

Mr. J. W. Hayden, a wealthy merchant of Stanford, has associated himself with the R. P. Dow Wholesale Grocery Co., of this city, and the firm will in the future be known as the Dow-Hayden Grocery Company Besides operating the Dow Wholesale Grocery in this city, the new firm will also run a branch wholesale grocery in Winchester. The two houses will be connected with a private wire. The Paris house will be in charge of Mr. R. P. Dow, Sr., assisted by Mr. R. P. Dow, Jr., under whose management it has built up a very large trade. The Winchester house will be managed by Mr. Hayden, assisted by Mr. H. M. Jones, late of the Armour Packing Co., of Chicago. The augmented capital of the Dow-Hayden Co. will enable it to largely increase its volume of business. The main office of the company will be in this city, and all of the buying and banking will be done here. They will have six traveling salesmen out on the road.

High School Graduates.

The graduating exercises of the Paris High School class of 1900 will be held at the opera house on the evening on June 7th. The graduates will be:

Miss Elizabeth Elliott Grimes.
Eleanor Hedges Sprake.
Anna Christine Thornton.
Nellie McClintock.
W. Fithian Lilleston.
Martin Doyle.
Elizabeth Gladys Hunt.
Miss Clara Dowd.
Miss Sadie Dowd.

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MRS. NANNIE BROWN.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. J. D. Booth, sister of Mr. Harry Stamler, of this city, died several days ago at Walton, Ky.

Small-pox Scare.

ON account of the small-pox scare a great many people were unable to call and see our pianos. We have decided to continue the sale for a short time. The pianos are all marked in plain figures at spot cash prices but you can buy them on easy payments. Don't fail to call and see the finest assortment of pianos ever brought to Paris. We are open evenings. Opposite Court House.
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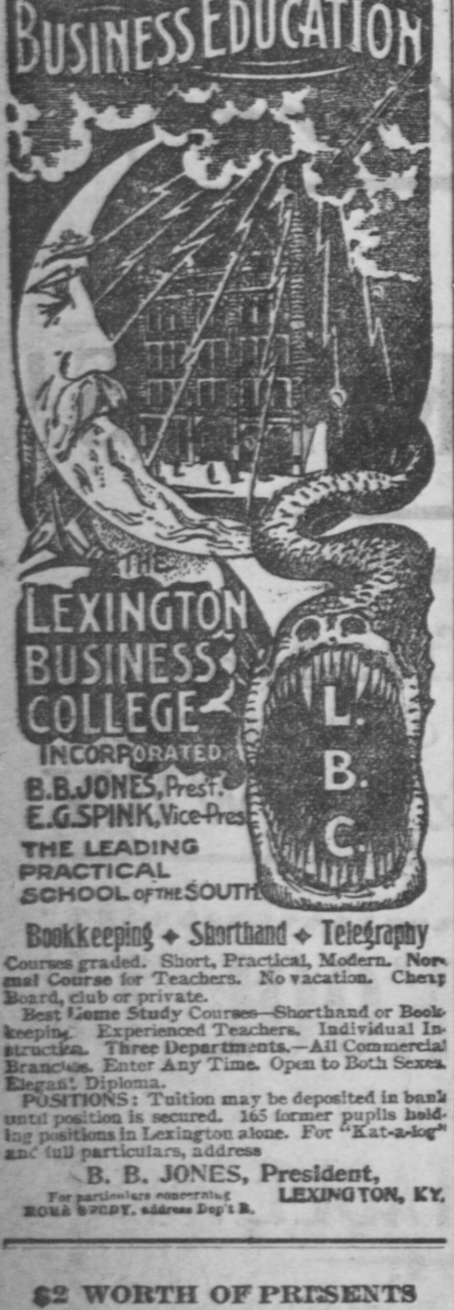

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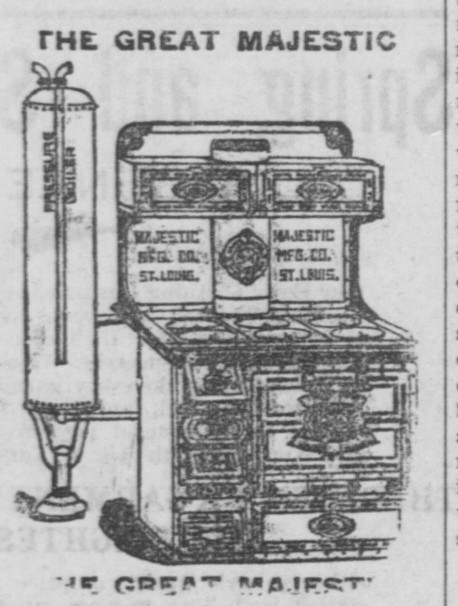

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Lv Lexington	11:25am	8:50pm	8:30am	5:50pm
Lv Winchester	11:58am	9:23pm	9:15am	6:30pm
Ar Mt. Sterling	12:25pm	9:50pm	9:50am	7:05pm
Ar Washington	6:55am	3:40pm		
Ar Philadelphia	10:15am	7:03pm		
Ar New York	12:40n'n	9:08pm		

WEST BOUND.

			†	†
Ar Winchester	7:30am	4:50pm	6:55am	2:50pm
Ar Lexington	8:00am	5:20pm	7:35am	3:45pm
Ar Frankfort	9:11am	6:30pm		
Ar Shelbyvi	10:01am	7:20pm		
Ar Louisville	11:00am	8:15pm		

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THAT THREE DAYS FIGHT.

Engagement at Catubig Resulted in the Heaviest Loss of Life the Americans Have Sustained.

Washington, May 17.—The officials of the war department, after waiting for nearly a week to hear something from Gen. MacArthur at Manila, confirmatory of the press report of the bloody three days' engagement at Catubig, which resulted in the heaviest loss of life the American army has sustained in any one engagement in the Philippines, Tuesday cabled Gen. MacArthur a request for information. The answer was received Wednesday, confirming the press reports and adding some interesting details. Gen. MacArthur transmitted a report from Henry T. Allen, a major of the 43d volunteers, who commanded the United States forces on the island of Samar. It appears that this force was divided among several ports on Samar, and while details are still lacking, it is believed that this particular force, which was besieged at Catubig, was commanded, not by a commissioned officer, but by a sergeant, either George or Hall, both of whom were killed. Catubig, where the engagement occurred, is a seaport town of nearly 10,000 inhabitants. Gen. MacArthur's cablegram is as follows:

Manila, May 16.—With reference to your telegram of 14th: The rumored engagement in Samar reported cablegram of Gen. Otis, May 14, has been confirmed by reports recently received from Henry T. Allen, 43d regiment, U. S. V. infantry, commanding near Samar island. That detachment of 31 men stationed at Catubig were attacked April 15 by 600 men, with 200 rifles and one cannon. Our men quartered in convent, which was fired next day by burning hemp thrown from adjoining church. Detachment attempted to escape by river. Men getting into boat were killed; remaining men intrenched themselves near river and held out two days longer, facing most adverse circumstances, until rescued by Lieut. Sweeny and ten men. Over 200 of attacking party (many of them are reported having come from Luzon island) reported killed and many wounded. Lieut. Sweeny reports streets covered with dead insurgents.

GERMANY'S COMMERCE.

In All Commodities, Except Precious Metals, Last Year, it Amounted to $2,186,744,000.

Washington, May 17.—Germany's commerce with the world in all commodities, except the precious metals, amounted last year to $2,186,744,000, according to a report to the state department, from Acting consul J. F. Monaghan, at Chemnitz. Her imports the same year amounted to $1,236,886,000; exports, $949,858,000. The most pronounced decrease in imports in the last few years has been in wheat and rye, on account of the gain in her production. The importation of Indian corn (maize) has shown a decided increase, advancing from $20,230,000 worth in 1897, to $31,654,000 last year. The figures show German trade as generally increasing annually. Some lines of trade have suffered a setback, sugar exports having fallen from $54,502,000 in 1897, to $45,695,000 in 1899.

This decrease is said to be due to the lessened demand from the United States.

PRISONERS EXCHANGED.

Investigation Reveals Mismanagement of the Bilibid Prison at Manila, Island of Luzon.

Washington, May 17.—It appears from late mail advices from Manila that the prison officials of Bilibid prison at Manila are under investigation on a charge of exchanging and releasing prisoners and receiving bribes. Bilibid prison, the largest in the orient, contains thousands of prisoners. The Americans were obliged to continue Alcalde Benito and other officials in charge because they themselves knew nothing of the prison methods or of the Filipino language.

It is alleged that prisoners were freely exchanged; that natives with money were allowed to employ substitutes, and that various forms of corruption existed.

Will Renew the Campaign.

Hong Kong, May 17.—The Filipino junta here declares that organized war will begin in the Philippines at the opening of the rainy season. Aguinaldo is said to have 20,000 men ready to begin the campaign. The junta seems to have plenty of money, and it claims to have possession of the islands outside of armed posts of the American army.

Will Visit the United States.

Chicago, May 17.—President Julius R. Roca, of the Argentine republic, will visit the United States incognito. Senor Jose Faer, who is in Chicago on his way to Los Angeles, says that President Roca's intention is to study the American people and their customs with a view to showing the Argentine mode of living after the American fashion.

Compromise Effected.

Calumet, Mich., May 17.—A compromise was effected with the Arcadian's miners who struck Monday for what was practically a 20 per cent. increase in wages. They were offered a raise of $4 per month and accepted. Work in the mine has been resumed.

Will Retry Roberts.

Salt Lake, Utah, May 17.—County Attorney Putnam decided to retry B. H. Roberts on the charge of unlawful cohabitation Tuesday, the 29th inst. Judge Norrell ordered that the case be set down for the date named.

CHICAGO HOTEL BURNED.

Two Persons Killed, One Missing and Fifteen Injured—Many Daring Rescues and Narrow Escapes.

Chicago, May 17.—Two persons were killed, one is missing and 15 were injured in a fire which early Wednesday morning destroyed the Hotel Helene, at 110 to 114 Fifty-third street. Five of the injured will probably die.

The loss to the building and furnishings were $40,000.

The destruction of the hotel was replete with daring rescues and narrow escapes, in which James McNeil, the porter, earned himself the title of hero. He was the first to warn the sleeping occupants of their danger. He carried Helen Joseph down a swaying ladder from the third floor, and then, amid the cheers of the onlookers, returned to the second floor where a woman was laying unconscious, her clothing on fire. He carried her to the window and dropped her into the arms of Policeman Wolf. The effort and the heat were too much for McNeil, and he staggered back into the smoke. The people below thought he was lost. A policeman mounted the shoulders of a brother officer, and, clambering over the window ledge, caught McNeil by the foot and dragged him from the room. McNeil was passed down to the ground and soon recovered consciousness.

The rescue of a woman and her baby aroused the enthusiasm of the crowds. Mrs. Bruce, with one arm around her infant child, was clinging with the other arm to the ledge of a second-story window. Smoke was pouring out in smothering clouds and Mrs. Bruce seemed on the point of falling. Her fingers were relaxing when suddenly three policemen, carrying a blanket held taut among them, rushed into the flames, which were then darting from the basement windows, just in time to catch the woman and her child in safety. Mrs. Bruce was badly burned, but had succeeded in protecting her baby, so that not one hair of its head had been burned.

There were many other narrow escapes and exhibitions of courage during the burning of the structure. As there was but one exit from the building the greater number of the guests were compelled to get out as best they could through windows.

INCOMPETENCY CHARGED

A Father Enjoins His Forty-Year-Old Son From Marrying a Widow With Four Children.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 17.—Judge Pereless, of the probate court, issued a temporary injunction restraining Henry Monson, jr., and Minna Olson from being married. The injunction was issued on petition of the father of the groom. He alleges that his son, who is 40 years of age, is incompetent, and that he is about to marry a widow with four children. The father prays that both be restrained from entering into the ceremony. A marriage license had been issued to the couple and all arrangements had been made for the wedding. The case will be argued June 5, so that if the injunction is made permanent the wedding can not take place.

Succeeded in Killing Her Child.

Philadelphia, May 17.—During a period of despondency Mrs. Lizzie Blakely, aged 32 years, of 125 North Tenth street, attempted to take her own life and that of her 2-year-old child, but succeeded only in ending the earthly career of the little one. The mother filled a bath tub with water and in it tried to drown herself and child. When the deed was discovered the child was dead and the woman unconscious. The latter was quickly sent to a hospital and revived.

House Bill Vetoed.

Washington, May 17.—The president sent to the house his veto of a bill for the relief of Wm. L. Orr. The bill was for service as assistant engineer in the navy from September, 1863, to March, 1865. The president says the records of the navy show that Orr never performed this service. He was appointed, but the appointment never reached him, nor did he accept. The president suggests that in case of doubt a proviso be added to the bill saying that it shall be paid in case of satisfactory proof being made to the secretary of the treasury.

Half a Mallion Dollar Fire.

St. Catharines, Ont., May 17.—Fire started Wednesday in the Canada Cycle & Motor Co.'s establishment, and spread to the Welland Vale Co.'s works, and before the flames were subdued, both plants were complete wrecks. The loss will amount to nearly half a million dollars, partially covered by insurance. Over 500 men are thrown out of employment.

Missouri Republicans.

Kansas City, Mo., May 17.—The republican state convention nominated a state ticket, headed by Joseph Flory, of St. Louis, for governor, and the following delegates-at-large to the national convention at Philadelphia: D. M. Houser and D. P. Dyer, of St. Louis; James L. Minnis, of Carrollton, and C. G. Burton, of Nevada.

Kansas Instructs for McKinley.

Topeka, Kan., May 17.—The republican state convention here nominated W. E. Stanley, of Sedgwick county, for governor. The resolutions unqualifiedly indorse the national and state administrations and pledge the delegates to support McKinley.

Earthquakes in Mexico.

City of Mexico, May 17.—Two sharp shocks of earthquake were experienced here, both from east to west. The duration of the first was 40 seconds and the second 20 seconds. The shocks were also felt across Mexico.

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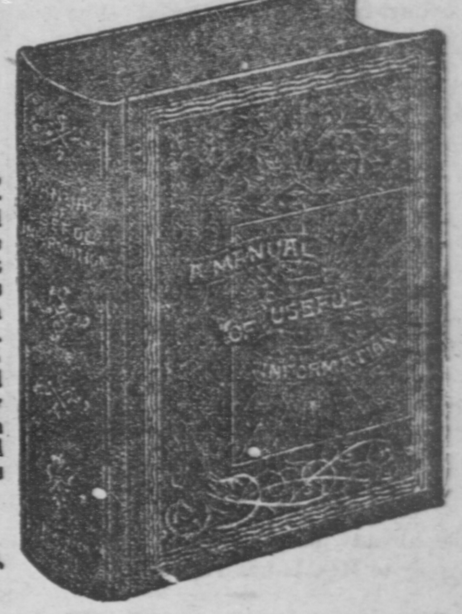

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Lve Elkhorn	7 02am	3 52pm	1 20pm
Lve Switzer	7 10am	4 00pm	1 35pm
Lve Stamping Gr'nd	7 20am	4 10pm	1 55pm
Lve Duvalls	7 26am	4 16pm	....
Lve Johnson	7 31am	4 22pm	....
Lve Georgetown	7 40am	4 2 pm	2 30pm
Lve C S R'y Depot b	7 50am	4 38pm	3 00pm
Lve Newtown	8 07am	4 48pm	....
Lve Centreville	8 15am	4 56pm	....
Lve Elizabeth	8 20am	5 00pm	....
Arr Paris c	8 30am	5 10pm	....

WEST BOUND.

	No. 2. Pass.	No. 4. Pass.	No. 6. Mixed.
Lve Paris c	9 30am	5 40pm	....
Lve Elizabeth	9 40am	5 50pm	....
Lve Centreville	9 45am	5 55pm	....
Lve Newtown	9 53am	6 03pm	....
Lve C S R'y Depot b	10 28am	6 17pm	7 50am
Lve Georgetown	10 32am	6 20pm	7 51am
Lve Johnson	10 37am	6 26pm	....
Lve Duvalls	10 43am	6 32pm	....
Lve Stamping Gr'nd	10 50am	6 39pm	8 22am
Lve Switzer	11 00am	6 49pm	8 40am
Lve Elkhorn	11 07am	6 56pm	8 55am
Arr Frankfort a	11 20am	7 10pm	9 15am

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P.M.	A.M.				A.M.	P.M.
3:40	7:00	Lv	Frankfort	Ar	11:20	7:10
4:23	7:50	Lv	Georgetown	Ar	10:28	6:17
5:10	8:40	Ar	Paris	Lv	9:30	5:40
8,30		Ar	Maysville	Lv	5:45	1:25
6,16	11:42	Ar	Winchester	Lv	7:09	2:55
7:20	1:00	Ar	Richmond	Lv	6:20	2:00

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Must the Monroe Doctrine Be Enforced by Resort to Arms?

Special Information Asked of Every American Minister and Consul in South and Central America—Peaceful Talk From Berlin.

Washington, May 15.—In view of the significant references to the enforcement of the Monroe doctrine by Secretary Root, Senator Lodge and other prominent men, the state department has taken steps to secure data on the subject. The burden of these speeches has been the startling increase of the German colonies in South and Central America, which have been regarded as menacing the Monroe doctrine. It also has been asserted that these German colonists maintain their home customs in the new land, deal almost exclusively with Germany, use only the German language, have almost autonomous governments within the limits of American republics, and are in fact little Germanies wherever located.

The state department has addressed an instruction to every minister and consul in South and Central America to inform the department fully on all the points to which reference has been made. Of course Germany is not referred to by name, for such a direction might naturally give umbrage to the German government. The circular applies to colonists of all nationalities, though it is of course explained that the consuls in compiling their reports will differ from the colonists.

Berlin, May 15.—The cabled reports of statements made in the United States senate chamber during the debate on the naval appropriation bill by Senators Hale and Spooner, to the effect that the United States had no expectation of war or other trouble with Germany, have been received here with satisfaction.

The semi-official Berliner Post asserts that these declarations prove that fair-minded and calmly reasoning Americans form the majority, and it concludes its article thus: "We hope in the future that attacks by certain American politicians who impute to a friendly country all sorts of aggressive schemes will be as promptly repudiated."

SENATOR CLARK RESIGNS.

Lieut. Gov. Spriggs Received His Resignation and Reappointed Him as Senator From Montana.

Washington, May 16.— Senator Clark, of Montana, Tuesday announced his resignation from the United States senate. Senator Clark announced his resignation as follows: "Acting upon my own judgment, and holding no one responsible for the result, I have concluded to place my resignation in the hands of the chief executive of Montana, and I here submit a copy of a letter addressed to him under date of May 11, and which is now in his hands."

Helena, Mont., May 16.—Lieut. Gov. Spriggs received Senator Clark's resignation and reappointed him at once. The opinion is prevalent that, Clark having resigned before the senate declared his seat vacant, the governor's appointment will be recognized. Gov. Smith wired that he would leave California at once, but will arrive too late to stop the action of Lieut. Gov. Spriggs, who belongs to the Clark faction, while Smith is allied with the Daly faction. Developments have created a profound sensation throughout the whole state.

THE BATTLESHIP KENTUCKY.

By a Very Simple Ceremony the New War Vessel Was Placed in Commission at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., May 16.—By a very simple ceremony Tuesday the new battleship Kentucky went into commission. The superintendent of the shipyard, Mr. W. J. Post, turned the vessel over to Capt. Chester, formerly of the cruiser Cincinnati, who will command her. The ship's band played "The Star Spangled Banner," after Old Glory was raised. Inspection and setting of watches concluded the ceremony.

Mrs. Leland Stanford's Gift.

Sacramento, Cal., May 16.—Mrs. Leland Stanford, on the anniversary of her deceased son's birthday, has delivered over to Bishop Grace the deed to the old Stanford mansion, which shall henceforth be known as the Stanford-Lathrop Children's home. At the same time the $75,000 transfer was made which is to serve as an endowment fund for the institution.

To Succeed Baron Fava.

Rome, May 16.—Baron Blanc, formerly minister of foreign affairs, will be Italy's next ambassador at Washington. Baron Fava, the present minister, will not retire until congress acts upon the bill, proposed by President McKinley, giving foreigners the right to sue lynchers in the federal courts.

San Pedro Breakwater.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 16.—Bids have been opened for the construction of the San Pedro breakwater. The lowest bid, made by D. V. Howell, of New York, was thrown out on account of irregularity. The bid of the California Construction Co. was the next lowest, $2,375,546.05.

Death of Another Cuban Soldier.

Washington, May 16.—Gen. Wood, at Havana, reports the death of Private James M. Steele, Company C, 7th cavalry, in Pinar del Rio, May 3, of general paralysis.

FARRAGUT'S BIRTHPLACE.

Adm. Dewey Formally Unveiled the Marble Shaft Erected to the Memory of the First Admiral.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 16.—The final day of Adm. Dewey's tour was spent at Low's Ferry, 13 miles west of Knoxville, the birthplace of Adm. Farragut, under whom Adm. Dewey served in the civil war. The admiral and party, accompanied by various reception committees and members of the Daughters of the Revolution and many citizens, left the city Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock by boat for the birthplace. Arriving there near noon, the site of the old Farragut homestead was visited. There Adm. Dewey formally unveiled the marble shaft erected to mark the birthplace of the first admiral. Upon it is engraved:

"Birthplace of Admiral David Glasgow Farragut, born July 5, 1801. Erected by Bonny Kate Chapter D. A. R., Knoxville, Tenn. Dedicated by Admiral George Dewey, May 15, 1900."

Following the unveiling, Adm. Dewey made an address, in which he paid high tribute to Farragut and recounted his asociations with him. Addresses were also made by Mrs. Chas. A. Perkins, representing the D. A. R., Col. L. D. Tyson, and Judge O. P. Temple. The latter presented Adm. Dewey with a handsome miniature of Adm. Farragut, done by Lloyd Branson, of this city. It is on ivory in a case upon which is engraved:

"Presented to Adm. Dewey on the occassion of his visit to Farragut's birthplace, Knoxville, Tenn., May 15, 1900."

The party returned to the city Tuesday afternoon, where a final reception was tendered Adm. Dewey by the Cumberland club. Adm. Dewey and party left Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock for Washington.

KILLED WIFE AND SELF.

L. D. McAllister, Wealthy Citizen of Heloise, Tenn., Also Tried to Shoot His Brother-in-Law.

Dyersburg, Tenn., May 16.—L. D. McAllister, a wealthy citizen of Heloise, shot and instantly killed his wife, and, after an ineffectual attempt to slay his wife's brother, turned the smoking revolver to his own head and blew out his brains. The trouble began about two years ago, when McAllister charged his wife with having improper relations with one Love. Later he killed Love, and, after a trial, was acquitted. Lately McAllister has made further charges against his wife, and they had separated.

He called upon her and insisted that she confess her alleged wrongdoings. The woman denied his charges, whereupon McAllister killed her. Her brother saved himself by a hasty retreat. McAllister then shot himself, dying instantly. He was the owner of steamers plying between Heloise and Cottonwood, and also of the steam ferry boats between Booth's Point and Carruthersville.

WHEELS SET IN MOTION.

The American Machinery Building at the Paris Exposition Formally Opened.

Paris, May 16.—The American machinery building, in the Vincennes annex of the exposition, was formally opened to the public. The United States ambassador, Gen. Horace Porter; Commissioner General Peck, the American commissioners, a few guests and Sousa's band made the trip in a decorated boat. The ceremony consisted in remarks made by F. E. Drake, the superintendent, Mr. Peck and Gen. Porter. The blowing of whistles announced that the building was opened, and immediately all the machinery was started.

On returning the boat stopped in front of the German national pavilion, the inauguration of which was proceeding. Sousa's band serenaded the Germans, the Americans landed and in a body were received by the German officials, who appreciated the delicate international compliment. Sousa's band played selections in front of the German pavilion.

To Reorganize Militia.

Toronto, Ont., May 16.—An order has just been issued reorganizing the Canadian militia on the basis of the imperial army. The militiamen are to form regiments, with first and second battalions, composed of able-bodied reserves who have served their terms.

Greece Wants Arbitration.

Constantinople, May 16.—The Greek legation has notified the porte of the intention of Greece to resort to the collective arbitration of the powers respecting the controversies over the consular convention. At the same time the legation sent a note to the embassies asking for arbitration.

Gen. Chaffee Relieved.

Havana, May 16.—Orders relieving Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, Gen. Wood's chief of staff at his own request, and directing him to report at the war office, were received, and Gen. Chaffee will probably leave for the United States next Monday.

American Flag on Eiffel Tower.

Washington, May 16.—Ferdinand W. Peck, United States commissioner to the Paris exposition, has secured the loan of a large flag which hangs in the pension office. It is his intention to float it on the Eiffel tower on the 4th of July.

Another Fire at Paris Exposition.

Paris, May 16.—A fire occurred at the exposition Tuesday afternoon. The flames were discovered in the basement of the Chateau d'Eau, which is intended to be one of the leading features of the exhibition.

EARLY WASHINGTON.

Few Records and Maps with Which to Locate Historical Points of Interest.

There is scarcely an old map of the District of Columbia or a book of any sort descriptive of early Washington in the stalls of the library of congress. In answer to a query the clerk in charge of the reading-room said the interest in the first days of Washington had been greatly increased since the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the removal of the capital to Washington assumed definite shape. Unfortunately none of the oldest maps of the city are in the map division of the library, but are either in private hands or inaccessible public buildings.

The most valuable is in the war department, and so faded and worn as to be but a poor guide to strangers in searching out old land marks. Braddock Rock and Jefferson's corner stone are both eagerly hunted for by sprouting historians, and one scarcely walks abroad without meeting some person with a map in hand, prowling about the neighborhood of the site of Burns' cottage, where Washington first negotiated for the land, or the Van Ness mansion, still standing, or the famous old octagon house, full of quaint surprises, occupied by the Madisons when the capital was burned by the British. Many well-known writers are here to embellish literature with new history, hence the lack of material in the Congressional library.

ODD MISTAKE DIVERTS PARIS.

Capt. Laval Discharged from the Hospital Cured While His Friends Are Invited to His Funeral.

A funny happening is now diverting Paris. Capt. Laval several weeks ago entered the military hospital. On Thursday some distant relatives received an official notice of his death. This notice said the body would be delivered for interment on Friday at ten a. m. Laval's friends hastened to make preparations for elaborate funeral ceremonies. All his friends were notified of the day and hour of the burial.

At the hospital the friends, officers and military guard waited patiently for two hours for the start. Inquiries then brought the information that the body had mysteriously disappeared. Just as everybody had hurried to leave the hospital court the missing corpse was discovered, inquiring from his stupefied friends who was being buried. It seems that some clerical error was responsible for the whole mess. Laval had left the hospital, completely cured, early the same morning that 500 people were gathering to escort him to the cemetery.

HISTORIC HOUSE.

Place Where Maj. Andre Was Condemned as Spy to Be Used as Soap Factory.

The '76 stone house at Tappan, N. Y., where Maj. Andre was condemned as a spy and imprisoned until his execution, in the revolutionary war, is to become a part of a soap factory.

Some of the people of Tappan sigh heavily when they think that a business enterprise is to invade their quiet settlement.

For two years the '76 house has been used as a hotel. Thousands of people have visited it, but recently Charles A. Pike, the proprietor, had his license revoked and closed his bar. He has leased the property to men from New York city, who intend to make soap on the grounds east of the house.

The building will be used for their offices

MARKET REPORT.

Cincinnati, May 16.

CATTLE—Common	$4 35	@	4 70
Select butchers	5 10	@	5 20
CALVES—Extras		@	6 75
HOGS—Select packers	5 35	@	5 40
Mixed packers	5 20	@	5 30
SHEEP—Choice	4 60	@	4 75
LAMBS—Extra	5 50	@	7 50
FLOUR—Spring pat.	3 65	@	3 90
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	73½
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	41
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	25¼
RYE—No. 2		@	61
HAY—Choice timothy		@	15 25
MESS PORK		@	12 32½
LARD		@	6 95
BUTTER—Ch. dairy	13½	@	15
Choice creamery		@	21½
APPLES—Ch. to fancy		@	4 50
POTATOES—Per brl.	1 35	@	1 50
TOBACCO—New	2 30	@	17 00
Old	2 80	@	13 50
CHICAGO.			
FLOUR—Win. patent.	3 60	@	3 70
WHEAT—No. 2 red	71	@	72
No. 3 spring	61	@	64½
CORN—No. 2		@	37½
OATS—No. 2	23¼	@	23½
RYE—No. 2		@	54
PORK—Mess	10 70	@	11 80
LARD—Steam	6 90	@	7 07½
NEW YORK.			
FLOUR—Win. patent.	3 60	@	3 85
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	80¼
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	42¾
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	27¾
RYE		@	61¼
PORK—Mess	12 25	@	13 00
LARD—Steam		@	7 45
BALTIMORE.			
FLOUR—Win. patent.	3 65	@	3 85
WHEAT—No. 2 red	64⅞	@	65
Southern	67	@	72½
CORN—No. 2 mixed	40¾	@	40⅞
OATS—No. 2 mixed	27	@	27½
CATTLE—First qual.	4 45	@	4 75
HOGS—Western	5 80	@	5 90
INDIANAPOLIS.			
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	71
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@	39½
OATS—No. 2 mixed		@	26
LOUISVILLE.			
FLOUR—Win. patent.	4 25	@	4 50
WHEAT—No. 2 red		@	71
CORN—Mixed		@	42
OATS—Mixed		@	25½
PORK—Mess		@	12 50
LARD—Steam		@	7 00

THE LETTER WAS GENUINE AND CONTAINED FACTS.

A Former American Settled in Canada Flooded with Inquiries.

A short time since a letter appeared in these columns signed by Mr. W. H. Kinkade, of Alameda, Assiniboia, Western Canada, which caused that gentleman to receive a great many inquiries, most of them anxious to know if the letter was genuine. To a large number of the inquiries answers were sent, but it was impossible to reply to all. We take pleasure in submitting to our readers a specimen of replies sent by Mr. Kinkade:

"Yes, the letter dated December 22, 1899, supposed to have been written by me which you saw in your local papers was genuine and contained facts. I will say of the information received from the Canadian Government agents prior to coming here, I did not find a single untrue statement. The Canadian government is an honorable one and its agents dare not misrepresent this country or they would lose their job. There is quite a bit of land for homesteading yet, a very little close to market, but mainly from six to twenty miles from stations. The country hereabouts is a prairie, nearly level, slightly rolling, not a rough country by any means. Homestead entries cost ten dollars; on land that has been cancelled there is a five-dollar cancellation fee extra and in some cases an inspection fee of five dollars, and where the former occupant has made any substantial improvements there are small amounts to pay for improvements. This is a poor place for a poor man unless he has brains and muscle and 'git and grit,' but with these requisites he can succeed. The population of this part of Assiniboia has doubled during the past two years. There has been as much prairie broken the past two years as was already broken previous to 1898. C. P. R. land (odd sections) joining homestead land sells at three dollars per acre. Improved quarters within four to five miles of town sell at $1,000 this spring. This is not a Garden of Eden at all. No man need think he can come here and get rich in a short time without much labor, but if he will work and be saving he can soon be an independent farmer tilling his own soil and getting good returns for his labor.

"We burn coal, which costs us $1.85 per load at the mines which are 20 miles southwest of us.

"People with stock and machinery should come in May, so as to have all June to break in. Those who expect to work for wages for the first year or two should come by the end of July to work through harvest and threshing and then go to the coalfields and work all winter, and by spring he could be ready to improve homestead.

"A quarter-section of railway land sells at three dollars per acre. The interest is all figured up and a man has about $71 to pay cash, and if he breaks at least ten acres first breaking season his $21 interest for the first year is thrown off and the second fall following purchase he has $60 to pay and then $60 to pay for eight more falls, which makes a total of $611 the quarter costs him, including all interest. Paying for a quarter of land that way is like keeping a life insurance policy paid, only it does not take so long to do it. By a man homesteading one quarter and buying another quarter gives him a chance to have a 320-acre farm all his own and have it paid for in ten years and after that he is sure of an easy living if he is any good at all.

"SIGNED) W. H. KINKADE."

Easily Done.

"How did they open the Paris exposition, George? I've lost the paper containing the account of it." "Why, it was a simple and impressive ceremony. Looby stepped up and—" "Who is Looby, George?" "Looby is the president of the French republic. Looby walked up and pushed away a painter's ladder, and kicked aside a plasterer's hod and a pile of bricks, and yanked a carpenter's horse out of the way, and tore down the 'Positively No Admittance' card—in French, of course—and scraped a lot of sand and gravel away from the bottom of the door, and then gave the knob a yank—and the exposition was wide open! Simple, isn't it?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Recreation.

"Have you had a vacation this summer, Mr. Cavil?" asked Tenspot.

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Miss Anna Chancelor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Armstrong, in Maysville.

Mr. P. N. Howe, of Crockets Bluff, Ark., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Pelham Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Collier are visiting their son, Robt. Collier and wife, in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. Jo. Mock has returned from a months' visit to relatives at Maysville and Covington.

Rufus Butler has several thousand of Bermuda and Strasburg sweet potato plants now ready for setting.

Eld. P. H. Ducan, formerly pastor of the Christian Church here, is in the Holy Land on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Mary Bowen, of Lamar, Col., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Vimont, and brother, Joshua Barton.

Mrs. Craig and two children, and Mrs. William Warren and child, of Stanford are guests of Mrs. Sanford Allen.

Mrs. Rankin, of Harrison, mother of O. W. Rankin, died Monday at her home, and was buried at Cynthiana, Thursday.

The town council ordered a sprinkler on May 9th from Studebaker, of South Bend, Ind., but nothing has been heard from it, except that order was accepted. Keep quiet. It is not fault of the council, as some believe.

The M. T. S. ball team will play the K. W. C. team at Winchester Monday, and will play the town team this afternoon, on the college grounds.

Mr. Jeff M. Vimont sold this week to S. H. Jones, of Ohio, thirty-five two-year-old grade springers. This was one of the best lots of grade cattle shipped from here for some time.

THE L. & N. will run an excursion from Paris to Cincinnati, Sunday, May 20th, at $1.25 for the round trip. Train leaves Paris at 5:15 a. m., and returning, leaves Cincinnati at 6:55 p. m.

F. B. CARR, agt.

Dwight Bowden, Reynolds Letton, Julian McClintock, John Leer, Letton Vimont, Peal Collier, Misses Kate Savage, Mary Smedley, Dorothy Peed, Lucile Judy, Alma Collier, Bessie Purnell, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howard, visited Blue Licks Wednesday on a fishing trip.

The population of Georgetown is 5,596 according to a recent census. The taxable property is $2,007,183, an increase of $50,191 over last year.

The American machinery building at the Paris Exposition was formelly opened to the public Tuesday.

The Supreme Court holds that the inheritance tax is constitutional and valid.

EXCELLENT bath service at Crawford Bros.' barber shop at all hours. Polite attendance. tf

THE Southern Railway announces the following reduced rates during month of May from stations in Kentucky:

Spring meeting New Louisville Jockey Club, Louisville, Ky., May 8-19.

One and one-third fares for the round trip May 2-19 inclusive, good to return until May 21st, 1900.

Special days, one fare for the round trip, morning trains May 3rd, 10th and 19th, limited two (2) days from date of sale.

May Musical Festival, Louisville, Ky., May 14-16.

One fare for the round trip, May 14th and 15 and morning trains May 16th, limited May 17th, 1900.

For further information, apply to nearest agent of the Southern Ry., or connecting lines.

W. H. TAYLOE, A. G. P. A.,
Louisville, Ky.

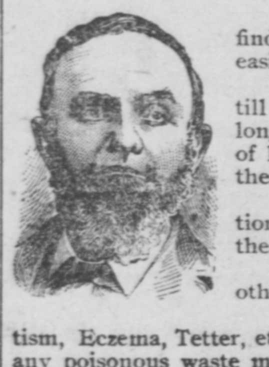
Hector Moore, a four year old son of George Moore, of near Lexington, stubbed his toe on an uneven pavement and was killed by the fall. His head struck a sharp rock.

Free Repairs.

Repairs furnished free of charge on Plano Binders and Mowers, and sold subject to field trial with any other make. Guaranteed the lightest running on the market. Sample at Haggard's Carriage Emporium. Sample Avery Threshing machine at Lexington court days. See this line of goods before you buy. Sold by

W. F. PEDDICORD,
Paris, Ky.

HEALTHY OLD AGE SSS



The majority of persons upon reaching middle age and past find their blood becomes weak and thin, and diseases that were easily controlled in earlier life begin to affect the constitution.

Those predisposed to Scrofula, Cancer, Rheumatism, Gout and other hereditary troubles may escape till then, but as they age the blood, so long tainted and weakened by accumulated waste matters, is no longer able to properly nourish the body, and it becomes an easy mark for disease. At this critical period of life the blood must be re-enforced before it can perform its legitimate functions and rid the system of these poisons, and nothing so surely and effectually does this as S. S. S.

S. S. S. strengthens and enriches the blood, improves the appetite, and builds up the general constitution. It is not only the best blood purifier, but the best tonic for old people. It warms the blood, tones up the nerves, removes all taint from the blood, and prevents the development of disease.

S. S. S. is the only purely vegetable blood medicine known. Not one particle of mercury, potash or other mineral poison can be found in it, and it may be taken for any length of time without harm.

S. S. S. is the only remedy that reaches deep-seated blood troubles like Scrofula, Cancer, Rheumatism, Eczema, Tetter, etc. It purifies and restores the blood to a healthy, normal condition, and makes it impossible for any poisonous waste materials to accumulate.

If you have an old running sore or an obstinate ulcer that refuses to heal, or are troubled with boils and carbuncles, try S. S. S. It never fails to make a quick and permanent cure of these pests. If your system is run down and you feel the need of a tonic, S. S. S. will strengthen and help you as it has many others to a happy, healthy old age.

S. S. S. cured Mr. H. Borden of Saumsville, Va., of a case of Eczema of thirty-five years' standing, after the best physicians in the surrounding country had failed. This was seven years ago, and there has been no return of the disease.

Mrs. D. R. Johnson, of Blackshear, Ga., was for years afflicted with a severe type of rheumatism, and had used every remedy known and recommended as a cure without receiving any benefit. S. S. S. promptly reached the seat of the disease and made a complete and permanent cure.

If you are in doubt about your disease, and will send us a statement of your case, our physician will give you any information or advice wanted, for which we make no charge.

Book on Blood and Skin Diseases sent to any desiring it. Address Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

S. S. S. IS THE IDEAL TONIC AND BLOOD PURIFIER FOR OLD PEOPLE.

James Robertson, the soldier who accidentally shot and killed Thomas Kane Monday evening at Frankfort, is still confined in the county jail. It is feared he will commit suicide if released as he has repeatedly told the deputies at the jail that he intended to do it at the first opportunity.

Northern Michigan Resort Season will open the middle of June, when sleeping cars will run through to Petoskey and Mackinaw City from Louisville and Cincinnati via Pennsylvania Short Lines and G. R. & I. Ry. They will leave Ohio River gateways in the evening and reach Northern Michigan resorts before noon next day. Breakfast will be served in dining car en route. Tourists tickets may be obtained over these through car routes. For details apply to GEO. E. ROCKWELL, A. G. P. Agt., Cincinnati, O.

Frankfort & Cincinnati Ry.

Will sell on May 19th and 21st tickets from Paris to New Orleans and return at rate of one fare for round trip, limited to May 29th 1900, on account of Annual Convention Travelers Protective Association.

Frankfort & Cincinnati Ry.

Will sell on June 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th tickets from Paris to Asheville N. C. and return at one fare for round trip limited to June 28th on account of of Conference Y. M. C. A,

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J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says, "I cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. One box of it cured what the doctors called an incurable ulcer on my jaw." Cures piles and all skin diseases. Look out for worthless imitations. W. T. Brooks.

"I had stomach trouble twenty years and gave up hope of being cured till I began to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It has done me so much good I called it the savior of my life," writes W. R. Wilkinson, Albany, Tenn It digests what you eat. W. T. Brooks.

The easiest and most effective method of purifying the blood and invigorating the system is to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for cleansing the liver and bowels, W. T. Brooks.

Woman's Rights.

Many women suffer all sorts of so called "female weaknesses" just because their kidneys are out of order and they have a right to know Foley's Kidney Cure is just what is needed by most ailing women. Clarke & Kenney.

To Asthma Sufferers.

Lawson Elvidge of Barrington, Ill., says he was cured of chronic asthma, of long standing by Pholey's Honey and Tar. It gives positive relief in all cases asthma, so this disease, when not completely cured, is robboed of all its terrors by this great remedy. Clarke & Kenney.

The battleship Kentucky was placed in commission at Newport News Tuesday with simple ceremonies.

A St. Louis negro laughed himself to death because he won a bet on a ball game.

New York's City council adopted a resolution providing for the erection of three municipal ice plants as a plan for crushing the ice trust.

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SAILOR HATS—Great varieties of all the newest shapes at 25c, 50c and $1. Sample lot of Boy's and Girl's Straw Hats worth from 50c to $1, choice 29c each.

SHOES! SHOES! Owing to lack of room, we have concluded to close out our entire stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, to confine ourselves hereafter to Dry Goods, Notions and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments exclusively. To close them out quick we offer any Shoe in the house at actual net cost. Remember that our stock is all new, this season's products, so if you want your size come soon and see what real bargains are. This is a bonafide closing-out-sale of Shoes, as we need the room.

Attention!

On Tuesday next, May 22, and Friday, May 25, we offer one lot of Ladies' Night Gowns, as per cut at 50c. They are worth 75c. One lot calicos, standard brand, 3 3-4c.

Through House Cleaning Yet?

Before you begin "house cleaning" come to see our stock of carpets, mattings, rugs, curtains, etc.

We have a large stock of these lines and the prices will make you glad.

See us before you "house clean" and you will begin it with a lighter heart and a heavier pocket-book.

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